

## Research Paper

We will spend the next three weeks working on research papers. Research skills and writing are essential for success in college. It is important that you have experience selecting research topics, creating and utilizing paper outlines, using research sources appropriately and writing for research purposes.

Requirements for the paper.

1. 8-10 pages typed. Using MLA. This means double-spaced, 12 point font Times New Roman.
2. Contain outside sources no less than 5 and no more than 10 source that are cited properly throughout the paper.
3. Formated using MLA.
4. Includes a works cited page properly citing sources at the end.

All second drafts will be put through "Turn-it-in" to help you gain balance between quoted material and your own analysis. I require a 30 to 70 ratio. 30% is quoted, 70% is your own material.

*Be mindful of plagiarism. You must give credit to authors for their work, otherwise the assumptions is that it is yours. Using others work as your own is unethical and is unacceptable in academic research.*